

IN THE CLAIMS

Please cancel claims 1-10 without prejudice or disclaimer of their subject matter, and add new claims 11-20, as follows:

Claims 1-10 (Cancelled)

1 11. (New) An ElectroLuminescent (EL) device comprising:

2 a transparent electrode layer, a luminescent layer, and insulation layer, a rear electrode layer,
3 a first protection layer adapted to cover the luminescent layer and the insulation layer and the rear
4 electrode layer, and an electrode layer for noise reduction sequentially arranged on an insulated
5 substrate; and
6 a second protection layer adapted to cover the electrode layer for noise reduction.

1 12. (New) The EL device according to claim 11, the electrode layer for noise reduction is
2 commonly grounded along with the transparent electrode layer so as to be connected to one electrode
3 out of two electrodes of the EL device.

1 13. (New) The EL device according to claim 11, the electrode layer for noise reduction
2 comprising a conductive electrode material.

1 14. (New) The EL device according to claim 13, the electrode layer for noise reduction

2 comprising Ag.

1 15. (New) The EL device according to claim 11, the first and second protection layers
2 function as a protection film for preventing penetration of moisture from outside and an insulation
3 film for insulating between electrodes.

1 16. (New) The EL device according to claim 15, the first and second protection layers
2 comprising polyester.

1 17. (New) An ElectroLuminescent (EL) device comprising:
2 a transparent electrode layer formed on an insulation substrate;
3 a luminescent layer formed on the transparent electrode layer;
4 an insulation layer formed on the luminescent layer;
5 a rear electrode layer formed on the insulation layer;
6 a first protection layer adapted to cover the luminescent layer, the insulation layer and the rear
7 electrode layer;
8 an electrode layer adapted to reduce noise, the electrode layer formed on the first protection
9 layer; and
10 a second protection layer adapted to cover the electrode layer for noise reduction.

1 18. (New) The EL device according to claim 17, further comprising forming the electrode

2 layer for noise reduction of a conductive electrode material.

1 19. (New) The EL device according to claim 17, wherein the first and second protection
2 layers are adapted to form a protection film to prevent penetration of moisture from outside and to
3 electrically insulate the electrode layer from the rear electrode.

1 20. (New) The EL device according to claim 19, wherein the first and second protection
2 layers are formed of polyester.